

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Koichi NAGATA et al.**

Art Unit: **4181**

Application Number: **10/574,805**

Examiner: **Bijay S. Saha**

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For: **METHOD OF FULLERENE SEPARATION AND COMPLEX  
CONTAINING FULLERENE**

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**LETTER**

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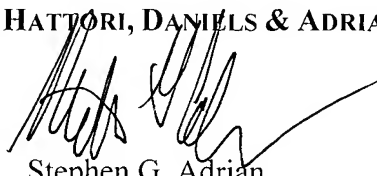
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Sir:

Examiner Saha telephoned the undersigned attorney on April 28, 2009, to ask whether the prior art attached to the remarks of the March 19, 2009 response was intended. The undersigned attorney confirmed that the prior art was not a part of the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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